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NORTH KOREA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing relative to North Korea from John D. Negroponte, Director of National Intelligence.

SOMALIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs concluded a hearing to examine United States government policy and challenges relative to Somalia, after receiving testimony from Jendayi E. Frazer, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs; Michael E. Heiss, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Democracy, Conflict, and Humanitarian Assistance, U.S. Agency for International Development; and David H. Shinn, George Washington University Elliott School of International Affairs, Andre Le Sage, National Defense University Africa Center for Strategic Studies, and J. Stephen Morrison, Center for Strategic and International Studies, all of Washington, D.C.

NOMINATIONS:

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Anna Blackburne-Rigsby and Phyllis D. Thompson, each to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, and Jennifer M. Anderson, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, who were all introduced by District of Columbia Delegate Norton, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

HAMDAN V. RUMSFELD

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded a hearing to examine efforts to establish a constitu-

tional process for the humane treatment and fair trial of suspected terrorist detainees, relative to the recent Supreme Court's decision in *Hamdan v. Rumsfeld*, after receiving testimony from Steven G. Bradbury, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; Daniel J. Dell'Orto, Principal Deputy General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Paul W. Cobb, Jr., former Deputy General Counsel, and Lieutenant Commander Charles D. Swift, JAGC, USN, Office of Military Commissions, Office of Chief Defense Counsel, all of the Department of Defense; Theodore B. Olson, Gibson, Dunn and Crutcher, Washington, D.C., former Solicitor General; Harold Koh, Yale Law School, New Haven, Connecticut; Scott L. Silliman, Duke University School of Law, Durham, North Carolina, former Judge Advocate General, USAF; and Daniel P. Collins, Munger, Tolles and Olson, Los Angeles, California, former Associate Deputy Attorney General.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of William James Haynes II, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit, who was introduced by Senators Warner and Allen, and Frances Marie Tydingco-Gatewood, to be Judge for the District Court of Guam, who was introduced by Guam Delegate Bordallo, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on certain intelligence matters from officials of the intelligence community.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 5755–5764; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 91 and H. Res. 908–909, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: A report was filed today as follows: H.R. 4855, to amend the District of Columbia College Access Act of 1999 to reauthorize for 5 addi-

tional years the public and private school tuition assistance programs established under the Act (H. Rept. 109–553).

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Recess: The House recessed at 9:12 a.m. and reconvened at 10 a.m.

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Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. J. Cletus Kiley, President, The Faith and Politics Institute, Washington, D.C.

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Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act of 2006: The House passed H.R. 4411, to prevent the use of certain payment instruments, credit cards, and fund transfers for unlawful Internet gambling, by a recorded vote of 317 ayes to 93 noes, Roll No. 363.

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Pursuant to the rule, in lieu of the amendments recommended by the Committees on Financial Services and the Judiciary now printed in the bill, the amendment in the nature of a substitute depicted in the Rules Committee Print dated July 5, 2006, shall be considered as adopted.

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Rejected the Conyers motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a recorded vote of 167 ayes to 243 noes, Roll No. 362, after ordering the previous question.

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Rejected:

Berkley amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 109–551) which sought to eliminate the exceptions to the bill's general prohibition against online gambling, thereby establishing a complete ban on all Internet gambling-related activities, by a yea-and-nay vote of 114 yeas to 297 nays, Roll No. 361.

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H. Res. 907, the rule providing for consideration of the bill was agreed to by voice vote, after agreeing to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 214 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 360.

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Further Consideration of Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act of 2006: Earlier, the House agreed by unanimous consent that during consideration of H.R. 4411, to prevent the use of certain payment instruments, credit cards, and fund transfers for unlawful Internet gambling, pursuant to H. Res. 907, notwithstanding the ordering of the previous question, it may be in order at any time for the Chair to postpone further consideration of the bill until a later time to be designated by the Speaker.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Amending the Public Health Service Act with respect to the National Foundation for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: S. 655, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the National Foundation for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention;

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Celebrating Advancement Via Individual Determination's 25 years of success: H. Res. 576, amended, to celebrate Advancement Via Individual Determination's 25 years of success; and

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Approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003: H.J. Res. 86, to approve the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

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Suspension—Proceedings Postponed: The House completed debate on the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further consideration of the measure is expected to resume tomorrow, July 12th:

To study and promote the use of energy efficient computer servers in the United States: H.R. 5646, amended, to study and promote the use of energy efficient computer servers in the United States.

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Authorizing the printing and binding of a supplement to, and revised edition of, Senate Procedure: The House agreed by unanimous consent to S.J. Res. 40, to authorize the printing and binding of a supplement to, and revised edition of, Senate Procedure—clearing the measure for the President.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4977, H5005–06, H5007–08, and H5008. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CFIUS REFORM—REFORM OF NATIONAL SECURITY REVIEWS OF FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection, hearing on CFIUS Reform: H.R. 5337, Reform of National Security Reviews of Foreign Direct Investments Act. Testimony was heard from Patrick A. Mulloy, Commissioner, United States-China Economic and Security Review Commission; and public witnesses.

DELETING ONLINE PREDATORS ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet held a hearing on H.R. 5319, Deleting Online Predators Act of 2006. Testimony was heard from Greg Abbot, Attorney General, State of Texas; David W. Zellis, First Assistant District Attorney, Office of the Bucks County District Attorney, State of Pennsylvania; and public witnesses.

TERROR FINANCE TRACKING PROGRAM

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled